

CONFIDENTIAL RECORD SHEET  
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL  
B.S.A.

DATE 12/30/68

Full Name JAMES FRANCIS WEST  
(No initials if you can possibly get full name)

Address P.O. Box 12322

City EL PASO State TEXAS

Age 39 (This is important and should be exact)

Approximate age \_\_\_\_\_ (To be used ONLY when exact age is not known)

Religion Methodist Nationality American

Occupation Salesman - insurance

Education \_\_\_\_\_

Weight 145 Color Blonde Height 6'1"

Color of hair blond Color of eyes blue

Outstanding characteristics or interests \_\_\_\_\_

Married or single divorced Children 2 - 12 & 13 Steven M. and Wayne M.  
(Number, ages, and names, if possible)

Wife's name \_\_\_\_\_

SCOUTING CONNECTIONS:

Unit #	City	State	Office	Date Reg'd.	Date resigned
TROOP 23	EL PASO	TEXAS	SM	9/56	5/59
POST 23	EL PASO	TEXAS	AE	5/59	11/61
TROOP 27	EL PASO	TEXAS	SM	11/61	12/68

Special recognition WOODBADGE 8/62 JAMBOREE SCOUTMASTER 1964

Recommended for Confidential File for following reasons:

*2 parents engaged a lawyer who then filed  
charges - He was picked up - booked on 2  
counts of sodomy - faveling boys - happened on  
trip overnite camp -  
(over)*

Signed M. King  
Scout Executive

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Cannot get police record or yuh - 'dents  
got together after some overheard conversation  
between some of the boys. after further  
questioning the boys they engaged a lawyer -  
This is extent of my knowledge at present -

W. King

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Produced Pursuant to Protective Order

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January 9, 1969

Mr. M. G. King  
Scout Executive  
Yucca Council, No. 573

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

Re: James Francis West

Dear Guy:

Thank you very much for your confidential record sheet of December 30, 1968. We have placed this information in our file.

This information will enable us to identify Mr. West, should he ever again attempt to register in the Scouting program.

Sincerely,

Howard Boyd, Director  
Registration and Fulfillment Service

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December 27, 1968

Mr. M. G. King  
Scout Executive  
Yucca Council, No. 573

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

Dear Guy:

Your letter dated December 3 addressed to Jack Rhea concerning James Francis West, formerly registered as Scoutmaster of Troop 27, has been referred to me for reply since our Service handles situations of this nature.

We have placed the information you provided in our files and have taken steps to have Mr. West's name deleted from the Troop roster. However, we really should have more information regarding this situation. Although your letter states West was picked up and booked on two charges of sodomy, what are the facts? What actually happened? What incident or situation occurred to cause his being picked up and booked? We would very much appreciate your writing us a more detailed letter giving us as complete a report as possible, together with forwarding to us any substantiating documents that might be available, such as copy of police report, court records, or any newspaper clippings.

Enclosed is a confidential record sheet which we would also appreciate your filling out and returning to us as soon as possible, together with the above requested information. This additional information will enable us to identify this individual should he ever again attempt to register in the Scouting program. Thanks for your help.

Sincerely,

Howard Boyd, Director  
Registration and Fulfillment Service

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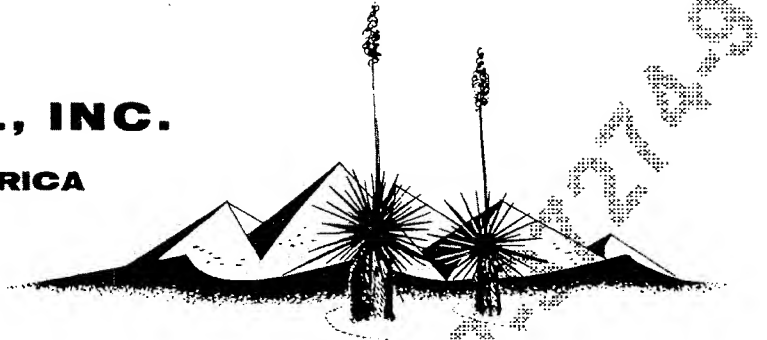
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# YUCCA COUNCIL, INC.

BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA



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December 3, 1968

Mr. Jack Rhea  
Director of Personnel  
Boy Scouts of America  
New Brunswick, New Jersey

Dear Jack:

Please remove from your records the name of James Francis West, formerly Scout Master, Troop 27 in this Council.

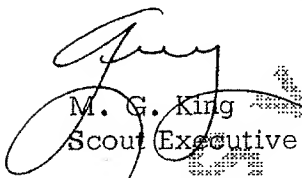
He was recently picked up and booked on two charges of sodomy.

We of course have relieved him of any Scouting responsibility in this Council.

I do not know whether or not this case will come before a jury, I doubt it, but in any case the above has happened and he can no longer serve Scouting in any way.

Very sincerely yours

YUCCA COUNCIL, INC.

  
M. G. King  
Scout Executive

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